Yachts Dross Ship, Rainbow Fashion, Races Are Held, Gen. Wheeler Commands a Land Parade and the Harbor is Beautifully Illu-

NEWFORT, R. I., July 30 -Newport was n fete to-day. It celebrated a holiday of its own creation, one arranged in honor of the fleet of the New York Yacht Club and the ships of the North Atlantic squadron. This is not the first harbor fête, as it is officially called, but there never has been one where so many special features were on the programme as to-day.

Prenarations for the day have been going on for a month, and it was not until late last night that the last detail was carried ont. Nearly \$10,000 was raised to carry out the plans of the committee, and this was largely raised by popular subscriptions among the cottagers. Alfred G. Vanderbilt collected something like \$1,000 and the Hon. Perry Belmont rendered rahuable assistance in personal work on the harbor decorations. Both the army and navy cooperated with the committee.

It is estimated that 25,000 people from abroad were in this city. The hotels and restaurants could not begin to provide for them and the parade was lined with lunch booths, giving the place the appearance of a country fair.

The celebration began at 8 o'clock this morning, when a salute of fifteen guns was fired from the water front by the Newport artillery. This salute was answered by the flagship Kearsarge, and at the same time the hundreds of yachts in the harbor dressed ship, rainbow fashion, making a striking picture. The main business street and fashionable Bellevue avenue were in holiday attire, every building for miles being covered with flags and bunting, while pictures of Gen. Joseph Wheeler and Admiral Francis J. Higginson were to be seen on all sides.

The morning was spent on the water There were two cutter races, the first between local crews, which was won by the Father Matthew Association, and the second between crews from the Massachusetts, Kearsarge and Alabama, the former winding and the second by Olivary was a ware judged by Olivary ond between crews from the Massachusetts, Kearsarge and Alabama, the former winning. These races were judged by Oliver H. P. Belmont, Congressman Bull, W. K. Vanderbilt Jr., Pembroke Jones, Rear-Commodore C. L. F. Robinson, N. Y. Y. C., and Mayor Garrotson. Following this an exhibition was given with the submarine hoat Holland, in charge of Lieut. Caldwell, she making surface runs, diving, &c.

One of the special features of the day was the land parade in the afternoon, which was arranged by Gen. Wheeler, who is summering at Newport. When he was offered the command of the line he accepted on the condition that he be allowed to select his own staff. This he did and it was made up entirely of those who had seen active service in the Spanish-American War, and was the leading feature of the parade, Gen. Wheeler and his staff led the parade, all wearing their old campaign uniforms, and never was a warmer reception given to war veterans. The formation of the parade was as follows:

Mounted Police,

Mounted Police,

Honorary Civic Staff, Mounted.

Major-Gen. Joseph Wheeler, Chief Marshal.

Staff.

Col. John Jacob Astor, Major Perry Belmont, Major
H. P. Young, Major C. B. Marsh, Capts, A. A. Barker,
J. C. Hegerty, W. W. Whipple, C. H. Ledyard, E. R.
Barker, H. Walcott, H. S. Pearce, C. W. Gutler, Chaplain J. J. Woolley, Lieuts, C. H. Weaver, J. T. Seeney,
E. C. Pierce, A. P. Watson, H. A. Richmond, W. A.
Stratford, G. T. Slocum, G. F. Hawkins, and Surgeon Russell Belamy, of Troops, A. N. G. S. N. Y.

Post Band.

Troops from Forts Adams, Greble and Wetherell,
Capt. Joseph Wheeler, Jr., commanding.

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United States Naval Brigade from North Atlantic
Squadfon, Capt. W. H. Bronson commanding.

Battation Marines from fleet, Capt. L. J. Magill commanding.

Training Station Band, United States Naval Apprentice Brigade, Lieut, J. H. Reid commanding.

Militia Division, Col. H. Bliss commanding.

Newport Artillery Company, Kentish Guards.

Rhode Island Naval Reserves Battalion, Lieut, C. E.
Lawton commanding.

The parade was viewed by Gen. Wheeler

parade was viewed by Gen. W and Gov. Gregory on the old Ocean House

and Gov. Gregory on the old Ocean House site.

The spectacular feature of the day was the harbor illumination at night. There was a continuous string of electric lights all along the waterfront, interspersed with set pieces. The torpedo station was aclow with lights and special electrical displays, while the yachts were illuminated and burned colored fires. Each of the war ships was outlined in electric lights, with their names in large letters, placed so as to show from all parts of the harbor. With all this there were scores of searchlights flashing here and there, making an ever-changing kaleidoscope of color and light. A specially noticeable thing was an American flag on the top of the shot tower, on which a searchlight was constantly played, making it stand out as if pinned to the sky.

The harbor was packed with excursion steamers and pleasure craft of every description and inreworks were set off from floats in the harbor. Six bands, stationed at various points in the music. Early in the evening there was a Venetian parade,

no intermission in the music. Farly in the evening there was a Venetian parade. for which money prizes were given for the best decorated boats. This parade passed through the harbor and past the yachts, through the harbor and past the yachts, making a pleasing feature.

At 10 o'clock the exercises on the water ceased and the bands took up position in the city where they played until midnight when the crowds dispersed.

Dr. Alexander Clarke, whose villa faces the harbor, entertained a large party of cottagers on the lawn during the evening and his grounds were illuminated for the occasion. A number of entertainments were given on the yachts and several dinners at the cottages.

THOUGHT IT WAS DEATH WARRANT. Why Lawrence Maud Chewed a Document That Was Intended to Give Him Liberty.

Lawrence Maud of Newark was taken from the county jail at Newark yesterday to be released on \$150 bail. He was accused of larceny. The bail bond was made out and signed when the prisoner tore it from the hands of Court Clerk Darnstaedt and bit off the signatures, chewing the corner of the document to pulp and saying: "I will not sign my death warrant." It was found that he had the delusion that he was arrested for murder. He was sent back to jail, but was released later in charge of his bondsman. His case was postponed until Aug. 13. He signed the subsequent papers without protest.

Funeral of Edward Kelly.

The funeral of Edward Kelly, late Commodore of the New Rochelle Yacht Club, was held at St. Patrick's Cathedral yesterday morning. The body was brought to this city on board Mr. Kelly's steam yacht, Barracouta, on Sunday morning and taken to the family residence, 17 East Thirty-second street, whence it was taken to the Cathedral yesterday morning. The pall bearers were Rear Admiral Schley, John J. Donahue, John D. Crimmins, J. J. Phelan, H. K. Bloodgood, H. R. Hoyt, Ernest Harvier, William Summit, Archibald Thompson and State Secretor Mitchell baid Thompson and State Senator Mitchell he celebrant of the mass was Archbis The interment was in the family vault in Calvary Cemetery.

The Rev. Dr. Alsop Buys a \$23,000 Home. The Rev. Dr. Reese F. Alsop, rector of St. Ann's Protestant Episcopal Church on the Heights in Brooklyn, has purchased the three-and-a-half story brick house at 56 Remson street from Myers R. Jones for £23,500 and he will soon move into it from his present home at 127 Remsen street. The Rev. Dr. Alsop and his wife have in-

vested extensively in real estate in Brook-lyn during the last four or five years.

GEN. WOOD ARRIVES, BETTER.

Carried Abeard Ship at Havans He Con Almost Walk Alone to Leave Her. Gen. Leonard Wood, Governor Genera of Cuba, arrived yesterday from Havana aboard the Ward liner Morro Castle and was transferred from her to the Govern-ment steam yacht Kanawha. He was the to leave the liner with only slight assistance from friends, on whose shoulder he leaned as he went to the Health Officer's steamer, Gov. Flower. When he left Havana he was so weak that it was necessary to carry him aboard the Morro Castle on

Dr. D. T. Laine of the army, who accom panies the General, says his recuperation was rapid after sailing. It was expected that there would be a demonstration at Havana when the General left, and, to avoid one, he was taken aboard at 5 o'clock n the morning.

Even at that early hour about forty persons, mostly well-known merchants and civil and military officials, gathered

and civil and military officials, gathered at the landing. One of the General's friends said that some of the Cuban people feared that the General wouldn't be brought back again and were in much distress over the immediate destiny of the island, which they think can properly be handed over to the Cubans only by Gen. Wood.

With Gen. Wood were Mrs. Wood and their three children. The General will take a three weeks' cruise along the New England coast on the Kanawha. Mrs. Wood and the three children will be the guests of Dr. Doty's family at Quarantine until to-day, the end of the five-day detention period for passengers from a yellow fever port. Mrs. Wood probably will join the General aboard the Kanawha. The General said to the reporters:

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"It will be eight months before the elections in Cuba will be over and the island tions in Cuba will be over and the island turned over to the people During my illness I received daily messages, telegrams and letters from all parts of the island expressing sympathy. I feel grateful for this manifestation on the part of the Cuban people. When I left Havana everything was very quiet."

Cyrus Field Judson, brother-in-law of Gen. Wood, was at Quarantine in the wacht Gen. Wood, was at Quarantine in the yacht Priscilla and greeted the General aboard the Kanawha.

LOWER GARBAGE: CONTRACT BIDS. anitary Utilization Company, Underbid, Likely

Only two bids were received yesterday for the removal of garbage under the new form of contract which provides for the letting of the contract for only one year. The Sanitary Utilization Company, it is understood, intends to stand by its bid on the five-year contract, and to go to law to get the contract. The bidders yesterday were McGill & Co., of 128 East Fourteenth street, \$39,000 for The Bronx and \$140,000 for Manhattan; James J. Barrett, 584 Bergen street, Brooklyn, \$120,000 for Manhattan, no bid for The Bronx.

All of these bids were lower than those of the Sanitary company, which wanted \$232,000 a year for Manhattan and \$45,000 for The Bronx.

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Z. F. McGill of the McGill Company said

that there was no city in the United States in which the garbage could not be removed for \$1.50 a ton, while the price asked by the Sanitary company was nearer \$4 a ton. There was no check with the Barrett bid; instead the company sent along \$6,500 in brand new gold certificates. The bids will be referred to the Board of Estimate.

ABSTINENCE CLUB PAILS.

tise Prohibition. About three years ago the Irving Club. which was organized by the members of the Central Congregational Church in Brooklyn, of which the Rev. Dr. R. R. Meredith is pastor, came to an end with a cloud of debts. It was started on a total abstinence plan and all efforts on the part of the younger element to modify this rule failed. For a couple of years, Andrew P. Alvord, who was appointed receiver to wind up the affairs of the club, has been straighten out to over \$300 unsatisfied. He has obtained permission from Supreme Court Justice Hooker to sell by auction or in private all the debts of the defunct club, and the names of the members who are in arrears for dues or supplies are likely to be pub-lished, unless there is a settlement before the day of the sale.

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Since the Irving Club subsided, the Invincible Club, a true-blue Republican organization, has become possessor of its old quarters in Herkimer street, and has enlarged and beautified them. The Invincible is one of the most flourishing social clubs in Brooklyn. It is not run on the temperague plan. on the temperance plan.

MURPHY'S FIRST ARREST. W Ex-Bicyclist Rides Down Two Thieres in a Grocery Wagon.

Charley Murphy, the famous bicycle ider, who earned the title of "Mile-a-Minute Murphy" from his feat of riding a mile behind a Long Island Railroad train in sixty seconds, is now a full-fledged police-man in Brooklyn and is attached to the nan in Brooklyn and is attached to the Classon avenue station. It was only on Saturday last he donned the uniform, but he entered on his new job with his accus tomed zest and already has a brilliant arrest to his credit.

On Monday afternoon two sneak thieves entered the house of Dr. Samuel B. Childs entered the house of Dr. Samuel B. Childs at 498 Classon avenue and stole an umbrella and some clothing. Just as they left the house the robbery was discovered and the thieves were hotly pursued for several blocks, but would have escaped hadnot Murphy been around to join in the chase. Murphy accomplished their arrest by jumping into a greeny wagon and following Murphy accomplished their arrest by jump-ing into a grocery wagon and following them for over a mile. The prisoners said they were Edward Gillen of 227 Broadway and John Matthews of 1896 Fulton street. They were held for examination.

MARRIED WITH HIGH MASS.

Miss Ormsby Becomes the Bride of the Rev. Archibald M. Judd.

The Rev. Archibald M. Judd, who resigned last spring as pastor of St. Matthew's Protestant Episcopal Church in thew's Protestant Episcopal Caurch in Sussex street, Jersey City, and later became rector of Trinity Church, Paterson, was married at the Episcopal Church of the Holy Cross in Arlington avenue, Jersey City, yesterday morning, to Miss Madeline Ormsby of Fifth street, that city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Percival C. Pyle, rector of Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, who wore a white sills Episcopal Church, who wore a white silk sope and a biretta. Miss Susie Ormsby, a sister of the bride, was brides maid and a sister of the bride, was ordesmaid and the Rev. J. P. Gibson of Baltimore was best man. A high nuptial mass was cele-brated by the Rev. Augustine Elmendorf, rector of the Church of the Holv Cross who was attended by three acolytes and

Her Diamonds Go to the Sacred Henrt.

The contest of the will of Katherine D. Callahan, who died last March leaving her diamonds, worth \$10,000, to the Academy of the Sacred Heart to be made into an estensorium and the rest of her estate of about \$100,000 to her husband, Christopher, has been abandoned and a settle-ment has been made with Mrs. Margaret Williams, the aunt who brought it.

The Federal Grand Jury, which is looking into the Seventh National Bank failure, examined yesterday Frank B. Poor, junior member of the brokerage firm of Marquand & Co.; Frank Sullivan Smith, the assignee of the firm; William Sherer, manager of the Clearing House, and E. R. Thomas, President of the bank. The resident will be certified this member.

ession will be continued this morning.

FOR GRANDFATHER CLAUSE

ALABAMA CONSTITUTIONAL CONVEN-

atle Chairman Lowe Denounces Plan as Scheme to Perpetuate Fraud in Elec-tions — Black Belt Democrats for the Clause and North Alabama Against It. Monroomery, Ala., July 30.—After a full week's debate on the "Grandfather Clause" of the suffrage article the Consticutional Convention to-day adopted it by the decisive vote of 109 to 23. It allows all descendants of soldiers in any war to register and become life electors at any time prior to Jan. 1. 1903. The whole temporary scheme of registering voters up to the above date, including the good character clause, was adopted.

The feature of the discussion was a speech to-day by Mr. Lowe, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, denouncing the whole plan as a deliberate scheme to perpetuate fraud in elections.

The convention has been in session fiftyseven days seven days more than the limit of time prescribed by the Legislative enabling act-and it has only reached section 4 of the article on suffrage and elections. This is the situation despite the fact that the convention was called primarily to deal with the suffrage question, which, however, was not reached until last Tuesday, the convention meanwhile devoting itself to ripping the old constitution to pieces.

With few exceptions the strongest men ntellectually in the body have been against a hereditary suffrage qualification. The opposition includes ex-Govs. Thomas G. Jones and William C. Oates, Solicitor Charles W. Ferguson, of Birmingham; Capt. Frank S. White, of Birmingham; who was chairman of Senator Morgan's campaign last year: Capt. S. H. Dent, of Eufaula, and a number of other recognized leaders. eaders.
The Black Belt Democrats have been

The Black Belt Democrats have been for the clause almost to a man. They bitterly oppose any measure that will disfranchise a single white man for any other cause than crime. The chief opposition has come from the white counties of north Alabama, while the majority of the supporters of the plan are from those counties in middle and southern Alabama where the negro population is in the majority.

The adoption of the "grandfather clause," it is admitted, means that middle and it is admitted, means that middle and southern Alabama will have to be relied upon to carry through the ratification of the new Constitution when the special State election is held for that purpose, as it is conceded that the sentiment in north Alabama is so strongly against the "grand-father" idea that many counties in this section, normally Democratic, are likely to vote against ratifying the new instru-ment with this clause attached. Not only is it regarded as a Black Belt measure, but it is looked upon by those who oppose it as being unconstitutional and un-American.

and a hostile Republican Congress are likely to make matters very disagreeable for Alabama. O'BRIEN'S PLAN FOR MORE SCHOOLS. Head of Department of Education Wants Char ity Schools Under City Control.

They assert that it will furnish ground for an immediate legal test of the new Constitution and that the Supreme Court

President Miles O'Brien of the Depart ment of Education has under consideration a plan whereby, if it is put into operation, the city will take over the control and management of all the schools now conducted by the Children's Aid Society, the New York Free Kindergarten Associathe New York Free Kindergarten Association and two other similar organizations. President O'Brien's plan is that the societies should let the city have the use of the buildings and that the city should pay for the teachers and other expenses of the schools. President O'Brien thinks that after the school hours the organizations owning the buildings could use them for any purposes that they might wish, and that there would be no clash between them. There are nineteen schools under the management of the Aid Society and about forty under the management of the other societies, and at times when the School deties, and at times when the School Board has wanted extra room these buildings have been placed at its disposal.

There is no doubt as to the need of extra

school accommodations," said Mr. O'Brien, yesterday, "and I am in favor of taking the schools that are public or semi-public under the wing of the board. It would be well to let the societies that now have con trol of the schools keep the control of the buildings and to use them for any purpose that they may wish on Saturdays, Sundays and in the hours not needed for the schools. If this plan was carried out all of the rules of the board in regard to books, and courses of study and the like would have to apply to the schools, and there could be no religious teachings of any kind. The teachers would have to pass the examinations that are prescribed for the teachers in the public schools, and the courses in every way would have to comply with the regulations would have to comply with the regulations of the board. In cases where the schools are in the hands of sisters belonging to religious orders there would be no objection to their continuing in the schools if they came under the control of the board, but of course the religious features of their teachings would have to be done away with.

Treasurer Holt of the Children's Aid Treasurer Holt of the Children's Aid Society said yesterday that the officers of that organization would be glad to contion and to aid them in every way to improve the public school system.

REAL ESTATE MAN ROBBED.

Knocked Down in Broad Daylight on Cherry Street and Relieved of Cash and Checks.

The police of the Madison street station made public yesterday the particulars of a daring highway robbery which took place on Monday afternoon in Cherry street. The victim was Joseph Freedman, a wellto-do real estate owner of 231 Cherry street.

He was on his way home and when opposite 157 Cherry street passed three men who were engaged in conversation and apparently paid no attention to him until he got by, when one of them ran up behind him and hit him on the head with a piece of lead pipe. The blowdid not stun Freedman,

head pipe. The blowdid not stun Freedman, but made a ragged cut.

He turned and faced his assailants when, one of them picked up a brick and struck him on the temple with it. He was partially stunned and fell to the sidewalk and the three men kicked and punched him about the head and body and after rendered the interestible that stocked is dering him insensible they stole his gold watch and chain, \$270 in bills, a check for \$35 and another for \$25.

About two hours later Detectives De-laney and Shea arrested Thomas McMann, 19 years old, of 153 Cherry street, who an-swered the description of one of the rob-bers. He was taken to Freedman's house and Freedman identified him as the on who hit him with the brick. Freedman was unable to appear in the

Fasex Market police court yesterday and McMann was held without bail to await the result of his injuries. BIG LIFT IN. TAX VALUATION. Cleveland Street Railway Raised From

\$1,145,150 to \$8,556,759. CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 30 .- Judge Strimple of the Common Pleas Court, to-day removed the injunction secured by the Big Consolidated Street Railway, restraining the city Board of Equalization from in-creasing its tax valuation. The board then met at once and raised the valuation from \$1,145,150 to \$8,558,759.

Martin Engel's Brother Discharged.

Max Engel, brother of Martin Engel, was discharged in the Court of Special Sessions yesterday, after his second trial on the charge of renting an Allen street house for disorderly purposes. Justice Wyatt, Holbrook and McKean held that LIVE TOPICS ABOUT TOWN.

Local champions in feats of memory used to be the doormen at the large hotels who could take charge of several hundred hate in the course of an hour and associate so strongly the face of each diner with the appearance of his hat that they could immediately and infallibly reach out the right hat as its owner approached. The two men most famous for this accomplishment were at summer hotels near the city and their achievements on crowded Sundays aroused the admiration of all who were privileged to witness their performance for the first time. The young man in charge of the telephone booth at the court house accomplishes feats almost as remarkable to the outsider. He manages to retain in his memory the names and telephone number of nearly every law firm of prominence, and indeed of medium importance, in the city. He only requires to hear once the name of the firm and the number in the telephone book. After that beginning, these two facts are welded so firmly in his memory that he never forgets them. His memory is as accurate as that of the famous doormen used to be and he is never known to make a mistake. right hat as its owner approached. The

Albert Alvarez, the tenor engaged to sing next winter at the Metropolitan Opera House, is to be here long enough for local audiences to decide whether they like him

House, is to be here long enough for local audiences to decide whether they like him or not, as he has been engaged for two seasons, and by the terms of his contract he may be retained for an additional season if his manager desires his services. It is a theory with some of the foreign singers who come here that they are certain of ultimate success if they only get before the public often enough, and with an engagement of two years before him M. Alvarez ought to please the public after a while, if it is within his power.

The experience of Mile. Calvé during her first season is largely responsible for this faith in time that exists among her colleagues. It may be remembered that her managers had the privilege of rescinding her contract after two appearances if they were not satisfied with the results of those trials. Mile. Calvé sang first in "Cavelleria Rusticana," and after she had repeated the performance her managers wanted to take advantage of their privilege. Mile. Calvé insisted that she should be allowed to try another rôle and urged the direction to let her sing Carmen. She finally carried her point, but refused to sing the opera in Italian, as had been planned and Jean de Reszke consented to appear as Don Jose after she had made an earnest appeal to him. The results of that attempt form a glorious page in the operatic history of this country and it is not surprising that her colleagues since that time refuse to lose heart after the first failure. They all think they have something in their répertoires as great as her Carmen if they can only get the opportunity to show it.

The season's delicacies in the way of vegetables are not limited to the patrons of the high-class markets. Even the Chinese laundrymen enjoy their particular supply in the summer months. From one of their places to another a pedler carries of their places to another a pedler carries daily a basket of the kind of vegetables they enjoy most. He is a Chinaman and his wares are raised on farms near the city. The majority of them are on Long Island and are conducted by Chinaman, and the principal vegetable they raise is a kind of mammoth radish, tender, but satremely hot to the taste of anybody secustomed to the American species. These products are bought by Chinese pedlers, who find at this time of the year ready purchasers among their countrymen. The number of these sellers is small. They carry with them other strange herbs and greens, highly prized by their customers.

There was never the least ground for the story that trouble existed between Walter Damrosch and Nahan Franko and that he was planning to remove from the orchestra at the opera house Mr. Franko, who acted as concert master there last winter and will be in the same position next year. Nevertheless, Mr. Franko, according to his friends, was convinced that a deep conspiracy of a kind possible only in the musical or operatic world was about to oust him from the place promised to these reports that the stockholders of the club to convert to Thursday and Lawyer Edward to these reports that the stockholders of the club to chim by Mr. Grau. It was to put an end to these reports that the stockholders of the club to convert to Thursday and Lawyer Edward to these reports that the stockholders of the club to chim by Mr. Grau. It was to put an end to these reports that the stockholders of the club to convert to Thursday and Lawyer Edward to these reports that the stockholders of the club to look into the matter. "I have two more whips ready for Mr. Berg denied that he ever insulted Mrs. Anderson or said anything against her character. He has the sympathy, it is said, of most of the club to look into the matter. "I have two more whips ready for Mr. Berg denied that the ever insulted Mrs. Anderson or said anything against her character. He has the sympathy, it is said, of most of the club to look into the matter. "I have two more whips ready for Mr. Berg denied that he ever insulted Mrs. Anderson or said Mrs. Anderson or said mything against her character. He has the sympathy, to the mother was not a proper guardian, and the proper guardian and the proper guardi the Maurice Opera Company last week devoted a part of their monthly meeting to preparing a formal denial. The orchestra is again to be engaged by Mr. Franko and Mr. Damrosch will again confine himself to conducting it, which was in fact the extent of the duty he had mapped out for himself this winter. It is an unproductive summer that cannot produce a con-spiracy among the members of an or-chestra, who, at all times capable of sus-pecting that they are about to be deprived of their occupations, are especially active of their occupations, are especially active in imagining conspiracies and plots in the comparative idleness of summer life.

Theobald Chartran, the French portrait painter, is not to remain abroad all of next winter as has been erroneously announced, but will make his annual visit to this country somewhat later than usual. Instead of arriving here in the early autumn he will not be in New York until the end of December. And it is not altogether the desire to enjoy his new home in Paris that has led him to make this change in his plans. He has found that the season for ordinary portraits does not begin here until the final settlement after the return from the summer outing and as this process of get-ting settled seems later every year, he has ting settled seems later every year, he has decided to wait until the beginning of the new year before coming here. He has not only his beautiful Paris house to enjoy, but also a new home built last spring on an island in the Lake of Geneva. This was the estabin the Lake of Geneva. This was the estab-lishment that interested its owner most, as it was intended as a place of retreat for rest and work that could not be in-terrupted. The island lies some distance from the shore and is accessible only by the boat that the artist sends out to mee

WANDERINGS OF A STOLEN TRUNK.

Belonged to the Parting Guest, but the Coming Guest Saw It First and Got Away With It. Samuel Butterworth, a young engineer living at the Park Avenue Hotel, appeared in Jefferson Market police court yesterday as complainant against Paul B. Hudson, a real estate agent, whom he accused of stealing a trunk. Butterworth said yesterday that he is employed as an engineer at the Waldorf-Astoria. With a number of other young electrical and mechanical engineers he has obtained nominal employment there in order to secure the advantages of observation and manipulation of the varied and intricate machinery used in the big hotel. On July 1 he planned to return to Washington, and giving up his room at the Park Avenue Hotel left orders to have his trunk sent along Before the trunk was taken away Hudson, an arriving guest, was assigned to the room. It is alleged that he almost immediately left the hotel, that he almost immediately left the hotel, taking the trunk with him in a cab.

Detective Sergeants Armstrong and Reidy learned from the cabman that Hudson was first driven to the Pennsylvania Railroad station and then to the Delaware.

Lackawanna and Western Railroad station. Only half a dozen of pieces of baggage went out on the train Hudson was found to have taken, and the trunk was traced to a hotel in Newtown, N. J. Then it was traced back to this city. Meantime Hudson had written the hotel, asking that mail for him be sent on to an Albany hotel. He wrote the Albany hotel to send it to a real server office in Long Acres Square. estate office in Long Acre Square. He was arrested there Monday when he called for

his mail Butterworth's trunk was found in a room at the address Hudson gave at 144 West 104th street. A watch and some studs were missing from the trunk. Butterworth said that the contents were worth \$300. Hudson was held for examination by Magistrate

ROW OVER LEDERER'S SON:

THEATRICAL WAN TRIES TO STRIKE WIFE'S BROTHER-IN-LAW. Mot Time in Court House Corridor When Mrs.

Loderer and Her Sisters Surround the Boy
-Temperary Victory for Her -Hearing on
the Writ Adjourned Until To-morrow. A hearing was held before Justice Hooker in the Supreme Court yesterday on the return of the writ of habeas corpus by means of which George W. Lederer took his five-year-old son Maitland, from the custody of his wife a few days ago. Mr. Lederer was present with his counsel, Franklin Bien, and Mrs. Lederer was present with her counsel Herman A. Heydt. The child, Maitland, was brought into court in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Stanley

A motion made by Lawyer Heydt to adjourn the case until to-morrow was granted by Justice Hooker. A discussion then arose as to who should have the custody of the child until the next hearing. Mr. Lederer insisted that the child should remain in his custody at his summer home on the New Jersey coast near Long Branch Justice Hooker requested that all persons interested in the case attend before him in his private room. There the Court custody of the deputy sheriff, and that he should exercise his own discretion in regard to the place where the child should reside until next Thursday. Bagg im-

reside until next Thursday. Bagg immediately decided that the child should stay with Mrs. Lederer at her home in West Sixty-eighth street until the next hearing.

During the argument Mrs. Lederer had sat with her two sisters in the rear of the room. Maitland was surrounded by them when they reached the corridor. There was a scene when Mr. Lederer made an attempt to get at the boy, who had hold of Mr. Bagg's hand. The theatrical manager made a dive at his wife's brother-in-law, Fred C. Williams, with clenched fist but Policeman Dillon strode between them.

"I've a perfect right to see my son!" exclaimed Mr. Lederer, as he attempted to push past his wife's sisters. He didn't succeed, however, in reaching the boy. This made Mr. Lederer very angry and again he made for Mr. Williams.

"Let me get at him! Let me have one at him and I'll leave him a subject for the hospital!" roared Mr. Lederer. He was advancing on his wife's brother, his features distorted from rage, when Policeman Dillon interposed again.

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interposed again.

"You couldn't send any one to the hospital," said Mr. Williams quietly.

Mr. Lederer did considerable loud talking while leaving and some of the things he said of his wife's friends were not complimentary. Mr. Lederer married his present wife six years ago and very shortly after his former wife, who had been Florence Newcombe, obago and very shortly after his former wife, who had been Florence Newcombe, obtained a divorce from him. She does not know what she is charged with in her husband's suit. He is suing his wife for divorce and she is suing him for a separation on the ground of cruel treatment.

SANCTUARY IN THE COURT HOUSE. Woman Dodges Process Servers and Finally

A woman, fleeing from one part of the County Court House to another, claiming in its walls "sanctuary" from the service of court process, disturbed the summer lethargy of the old building yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Youngerman was her name. She was before Justice Gildersleeve early in the forenoon on a writ of habeas corpus she had secured with a view of getting the custody of her two children

A. Alexander, attorney for Mrs. Youngerman, left the building.

Mrs. Youngerman, with a Mrs. Hogan, sat in the court room a while waiting for her husband, his lawyer and the process servers to disappear. She thought they had gone and, coming out with Mrs. Hogan, spied them in a cluster down the corridor. The two women fled into the telephone room and did some telephoning. After a long wait they got word that the coast was clear and they went out into the corridor. Again the enemy was espied and up the iron steps flew the women. Finding a court room on the top floor vacant they entered and watched the door. Some one with a process-serving look stuck one with a process-serving look stuck his nose in and the door was quickly slammed without catching the nose.

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In this room the women remained from shortly before noon until about half past 3 o'clock. A man joined them and guarded the door. Lawyer Levy and his party stood about the corridors for a time, but finally gave it up and the women escaped.

Mrs. Youngerman said that the purpose in avoiding service was to keep from the records of the habeas corpus proceedings that an action for absolute divorce was pending against her. When the custody of the children is disposed of, she said, she would come forward and take the summons.

Popkin & Co., Cloaks, Close Up .- F. B. Thu

ber Objects to N. W. Showers as Trustee. A. Popkin & Co. (incorporated), manufacturers of cloaks at 1 East Fourteenth street, corner of Fifth avenue, have closed has become of the assets. It is said that all the stock of any value has been returned and that only the machines, fixtures and few old style garments remain. Deputy Sheriff Roberts received two writs of replevin yesterday against the concern, one from Blumenstiel & Hirsh for \$240 in favor of Lewis Frank, and the other from M. Bernstein & Sons for \$1,018. The Sheriff found very little of the goods called for in the writs.

Blumenstiel & Hirsch said last evening that they understood that the liabilities of A. Popkin & Co. were at least \$50,000 and that the assets are small. The concern was damaged by fire on Dec. 15 last, stating a loss of \$40,000, the insurance being \$68,000. It was said yesterday that the insurance had not yet been paid by the companies but it was understood that most of the money had been assigned.

Abraham Popkin had been in the clock business for many years. On Nov. 16, 1899. he went into bankruptcy with liabilities o \$224.60" and subsequently compremised with his creditors at 40 cents. In January, 1000, the business was incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000. William A. Hearn, proprietor of a restau

rant and café at 51 Beaver street, made ar assignment yesterday to Frank Mora. Henry B. Palmer and Charles A. Olson Palmer & Olson), electrical contractors of

(Palmer & Olson), electrical contractors of 210 Centre street, made an assignment yesterday to James Lane.

At a meeting of the creditors of Francis B. Thurber held yesterday before Nachaniel A. Prentiss, referee, at 120 Broadway, a number of claims were flied, among them: Estate of Amos R. Eno, \$76,581; Huguenot National Bank of New Paltz, \$5,874; estate of Garret A. Hobart, \$3,329.

Henry W. Showers was non-tnated for trustee by the representative of the Eno estate. Mr. Thurber asked for a postponement saying that Mr. Showers has also office with Franklin Pierce, attorney for the Ninth National Bank, which Mr. Thurber regards as a hostile creditor. The election was postponed to the middle of October.

Raphro D. Pike of 2107 Seventh avenue, formerly a dealer in plumbers' supplies at 2109 Seventh avenue and a manufacturer of pottery at Broadway, Va. has filed a petition in bankruptcy here with liabilities \$11,693 and nominal assets \$12,619.

William H. Harrison, drug exporter of 60 Pearl street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities \$4,919 and assets \$899.

BEATH DIDN'T END THIS CRUDGE.

Father's Body in Potter's Field Wide See With a Grievance Kept Books of Family Let. Edward McGann of 181 West Staty-third street was in the West Side police court yesterday morning on the complaint of his aunt, Miss Susan McGann, who wanted the young man to give up the deeds to a burial plot in Calvary Cemetery. Edward McGann, the boy's father, died unattended in a lodging house at 783 Seventh avenue on July 2, she said. She was willing to pay his funeral expenses, but the young man refused to give up the deeds to the plot, or to allow the digging of a grave and his father was interred in Potter's Field on

father was interred in Potter's Field on July 5. She was willing to have the body exhumed now, she said, and placed in the family plot, but the son still refused to deliver the deeds.

As an excuse young McGann pleaded that he was angry at his father for having caused him to lose his job several months ago. He did not feel like giving up the deeds which were in the custody of a sister who is in a convent.

"Of all the mean, sneaking, ungrateful, undutiful, unnatural sons that I have come across, you are the worst," shouted Magistrate Zeller, his face red with anger. "Now you get those deeds and give them to your aunt just as soon as you can. To think that a man would deliberately let his poor old father be buried in Potter's Field when it could be prevented! Now you get out of this court room just as quickly as you can."

McGann hurried out, declaring that he would get the deeds for his aunt.

STEAM BUSES ON THE BRIDGE. John Brisben Walker on Wheels in Compet

John Brisben Walker, manufacturer of

magazines and steam mobiles at Tarrytown and the inventor of a correspondence university, rode down to Park row yesterday afternoon in one of his steam omnibuses, followed by three others, each of which was labelled "Mobile Rapid Transit." Mr. Walker, who was acting as chauffeur Mr. Walker, who was acting as chauseur of the machine in front, pulled up before each newspaper office and invited a reporter to jump in and have a ride. A dozen jumped and were taken across Brooklyn Bridge and back without mishap. Mr. Walker's assistant chausseur explained that the ride was merely to demonstrate that the steam carriages manufactured by Mr. Walker at Tarrytown were much better for carrying passengers on the Bridge than the trolley cars.

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"Each one of the carriages," he said,
"will hold fourteen passengers and in them
23,000 passengers could cross in an hour,
with the mobiles running at 30-foot intervals, with comparatively no strain on the

vals, with comparatively no strain on the Bridge structure."

The cost of operating the steam carriages is a quarter of a cent a mile per passenger. They are now used for public service in and about Haverstraw.

In a few days Mr. Walker will use his four sample omnibuses, for one day between the Wall and Cortlandt street ferries, to show the Metropolitan Street Railway Company that they are better for crosstown service than horse cars.

BROOKLYN YACHT CLUB SPLIT. Mrs. Anderson's Attempt to Lash Electrician Berg Causes Dissension The members of the Brooklyn Yacht

Club at Bensonhurst have already been pretty sharply divided as a result of the attempt of Mrs. A. N. Anderson to strike Louis Berg, the electrician, with a short whip, which she took with her to the clubhouse on Saturday night. Mrs. Anderson said last night, that her husband had got affidavits from ten members of the club

Anderson asserts, are on her side.

SUICIDE HOLDS A CRUCIFIX.

Because She Was Devout, Her Friends Say, and Not for Spectacular Effect. Holding aloft a crucifix in her right hand Mrs. Bridget Higgins, 25 years old, of 196 Eighth avenue, killed herself yesterday morning by drinking carbolic acid. Mrs Higgins was a devout Catholic, and acrecording to her friends the waving of the crucifix at the moment she was ending her life was due to her strong religious feeling rather than to any desire to give spectacular effect to her suicide. Mrs. Higgins lived with her husband and five children. Her husband has been out of work for some time, and worrying about that, together with prostration by the heat, made the woman temporarily insane.

NEW RULE FOR BUFFALO MIDWAY. It Will Be Roped Off on Sunday and No Visitors Allowed in the Street.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 30 .- Director-General Buchanan is determined to stop the regular weekly attempts at Sunday opening in the Midway, and at a meeting this afternoon the directors ordered that the Midway be roped off from the rest of the Exposition on Sunday and no visitors allowed to enter. Only those having imperative business in the street will be admitted. This has greatly incensed the concessionations.

President Schurman's Youngest Child Dead.

ITHACA, July 30 .- Frederick Schurman, the youngest child of President Jacob Gould Schurman of Cornell University, died at the President's home to-day after a brief illness. President Schurman has notified the committee that, because of his child's death, he will not be able to speak in Buffalo on Aug. 5, the Cornell Day at the Pan-American. Dean T. F. Crane will take his place. will take his place.

DIED.

BAQUET. - Entered Into rest, at Orr's Island. Me., Harriet Stuart, daughter of the late Camille and Harriet Baquet of Burlington, N. J. Funeral services on Thursday, Aug. 1, 1901, at S. P. M., at St. Mary's Church, Burlington, N. J.

GILMOUR.—On Monday, July 29, 1901, Marion Beatrice, beloved wife of William Gilmour, and daughter of the late William J. and Harriet S. Funeral from residence of her sister, 232 Lexington

av., Brooklyn, on Thursday, Aug. 1, 1901, at YNCH. -On Monday, July 29, 1901, Peter Lynch. Funeral Thursday morning, Aug. 1, 1901, at 9:30 o'clock, from Undertaker James J. Keenan's,

500 Hudson st., thence to the Church of St. Veton ca. Christopher st., where a solemn requien mass will be offered. Relatives and friends and also members of Lincoln Club, city of New York. and the Republican organization of the Fifti Assembly district and Ninth ward Republican club, also the superintendents of the several branches, all employees of G. P. O. and of branches F. C. & A., N. Y. P. O., are respectfully invited to attend. San Francisco papers please

SLOTE.-At lake George, at the Sagamore, on Monday, July 29, 1901, Alonzo Slote. Funeral services at his late residence, 219 Clermont av., Brooklyn, on Thursday evening, Aug. 1,

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ITSELF IN NEED OF AID. The Legal Aid Society Appeals to Members

of the Bar for Contributions. The Legal Aid Society has sent a circular letter to the members of the bar asking them to aid the society with contributions of money. The circular states that lawyers have the best opportunity to know what the society is doing and that, besides, the society relieves the bar of a vast amount of charity work. The society enforces a charge of ten cents from each client and an additional paymant of ten per cent. of all collections greater than \$10. Most of the cases which come to the ociety are those of laborers for wages

The society has recently established three branches and they have cost more than was expected because of the great number of applicants for assistance who have been reached by them. Unless the society receives \$8,000 within a short time it will be obliged to close these branches. Those who wish to contribute may send their checks to Arthur Van Briesen of 49 Wall street.

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